

# FOOD PURCHASE REPORT

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United States  
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Agriculture

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Marketing  
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## USDA TO BUY CANNED PINK SALMON:

The Agricultural Marketing Service (AMS) of the Department of Agriculture (USDA) today announced its intent to purchase 17,600 cases of canned pink salmon produced from the 2007 or 2008 harvest seasons. USDA plans to distribute the canned pink salmon to participants in the Commodity Supplemental Food Program.

Offers to sell canned pink salmon will be invited on a competitive bid basis under Announcements LS-135. The canned pink salmon delivered under this program must be landed by United States (U.S.) flag vessels and completely processed in the U.S., its territories, possessions, Puerto Rico, or the Trust Territories of the Pacific Islands.

First offers for canned pink salmon under Announcement LS-135, Invitation 1 are due on February 29, 2008, for shipment between April 16 and June 30, 2008.

Inquiries should be addressed to the Contracting Officer; Livestock and Seed Program; USDA, AMS, Stop 0253, Room 2610-South; 1400 Independence Avenue, SW; Washington, D.C. 20250. Telephone: (202)720-2650, Fax: (202)720-9538.

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